2011 Graduating Senior Survey Student Comments
College of Engineering and Applied Science

If you had it to do all over again, would you choose UWM?	Why or why not?
Definitely	Affordable compared to most other schools, able to commute
Definitely	Atmosphere was great
Definitely	campus layout
Definitely	Cost and location were right, along with the academics
Definitely	Good stuff.
Definitely	Had a lot of fun here, and learned a lot about the industry.
Definitely	Having the opportunity to do undergraduate research at UWM was a great experience. This is an opportunity that may have not been available to me at bigger universities.
Definitely	I enjoyed it very much. The professors are great, they care. I'm happy with the education I have received at UW-M
Definitely	I enjoyed the classes, it was close to home and most instructors were great.
Definitely	I enjoyed to small campus attitude, with the big city feel.
Definitely	I had opportunities at this school, then i would have at a larger university
Definitely	It is a warm campus. It is big enough to escape yet small enough to get to know people. Plus the city is so close and gives you so many options for things to do.
Definitely	Smaller class sizes and interaction with faculty.
Definitely	UWM has been very good to me as a developing software engineer. Through a rigorous math and programming curriculum, the faculty and staff of the College of Engineering and Applied Sciences allowed me to build the confidence and skills I need in the field of software engineering. Furthermore, through my employment with the College of Letters and Science IT Office, I was able to practice my obtained knowledge and hone my skills in a professional environment.
Definitely	UWM is a great location for me and provided valuable experience and education. I enjoyed my time at UWM.
Definitely	UWM offered support to tailor my education to be exactly what i wanted.
Probably	After settling down at the university for two years (I am a transfer student), great opportunities fell into my lap here including an undergraduate research position and grants to fund projects.
Probably	Because I never had the experience of other schools
Probably	Because in the end, a school is a school.
Probably	Definitely for the program I would choose UWM.
Probably	good engineering program
Probably	Good engineering school.
Probably	Good mixture of city/secluded campus
Probably	Good Program
Probably	I enjoyed the compact campus. Not having to travel all over the city to make it to classes was something that is very appealing to me.
Probably	I have been very blessed to take advantage of the great opportunities that the large city has to offer.

Probably	I thought I wouldn't like how small it was, but that ended up being a good thing.
Probably	It is close to home.
Probably	It's a good school.
Probably	Lack of a NCAA football team
Probably	Location is close to home
Probably	More night classes would've been more appealing
Probably	Only if I know people that can help me in extraordinary situations and all my questions answer
Probably	Professors were excellent, however advising was not up to par.
Probably	Research opportunity is drastically improved.
Probably	Some awesome teachers (Boyland being the highlight) but the quality was not consistent.
Probably	The initial choice for UWM was all about location. Since I had to keep the house and the family fed, that meant going to school near home and work, so if it was only the schooling to be done over again, UWM is the obvious choice. If I had to do it ALL over again (The whole last 15 years since high school graduation I think I'd look to a smaller college community that wasn't so much a commuter campus.
Probably	There have been a lot of good opportunities to get involved in projects, teams and volunteer work.
Probably	UWM's name recognition/reputation. Cost is slowly not becoming a benefit with raised tuition.
Probably	Was very hard to get the classes I needed when I could attend. (late in the day).
Probably No	GER requirements are simply a way to milk money from students. There are multiple places located on the UWM.edu domain which state this matter of factly, and that is disgusting.
Probably No	I would like to go to a university outside of Wisconsin
Probably No	My prior schooling was in a private prep school and I should have stuck with this for university/college.
Probably No	Not large enough funding within the engineering program. Example,
Probably No	When I began college, I would have more likely succeeded in an environment with a smaller number of students and a more individual focus.
Definitely No	I just don't like the city.
Definitely No	UWM does not offer enough night classes, they do not seem to care about the special needs of adult students.